

CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 November 27 2015 to 0600 November 28 2015



Technical Rescue Team members train above the West Branch of the Feather River near Magalia.

Photo Credit: Butte County CALFIRE

Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

National News – Significant Events

Police: 3 Killed, 9 Wounded in Attack at Planned Parenthood

(AP) A gunman who opened fire inside a Colorado Springs Planned Parenthood clinic was arrested Friday after engaging in gun battles with authorities during an hours long standoff that killed three people and wounded nine others, officials said. A police officer with the University of Colorado in Colorado Springs was among those killed in the rampage, police said. Two civilians also died, and nine other people, including five police officers, were wounded. A law enforcement official identified the gunman, who was in custody, as Robert Lewis Dear of North Carolina. The official, who had direct knowledge of the case, spoke on condition of anonymity because the official was not authorized to speak to the media about the ongoing investigation. No other details about the shooter were immediately available. Authorities cautioned that they do not know a motive for the attack or whether the shooter had any connection to Planned Parenthood. Planned Parenthood released a statement that said it did not know the full circumstances or motives behind the attack, or whether the organization was the target. For several hours, the firing of a long gun was the only indication police had that the shooter was in the building, Buckley said. Officers finally made voice contact by shouting to him and convinced him to surrender about five hours after the shooting began, she said.

International News – Significant Events

Ringleader of Paris Attacks Planned More Strikes, Mocked Open Borders

(Reuters) The ringleader behind the Nov. 13 attacks in Paris had plans to strike Jewish targets and to disrupt schools and the transport system in France, according to sources close to the investigation. Abdelhamid Abaaoud, a Belgian national of Moroccan origin, also boasted of the ease with which he had re-entered Europe from Syria via Greece two months earlier, exploiting the confusion of the migrant crisis and the continent's passport-free Schengen system, the sources said on Friday. Their comments, confirming excerpts from a confidential police witness statement leaked to a French magazine this week, fleshed out a picture of the Islamic State militant who spearheaded the Nov. 13 attacks targeting cafes, a concert hall and sports stadium in Paris in which 130 people were killed. The witness statement, quoted in the Valeurs Actuelles weekly magazine, describes how Abaaoud approached his cousin Hasna Ait Boulahcen two days after the killing spree asking her to hide him while he prepared further attacks. Both Abaaoud and Boulahcen died on Nov. 18 in a shootout with police in St. Denis north of Paris at an apartment where the militant Islamist had been staying. Speaking of the planned future attacks, Abaaoud told his cousin on Nov. 15 that "they would do worse (damage) in districts close to the Jews and would disrupt transport and schools", the witness statement said. Paris prosecutor Francois Molins confirmed on Tuesday the militants had been plotting to attack La Defense on Nov. 18. Reuters had previously reported the planned attack. The witness statement also described how Abaaoud had boasted about slipping into Europe with refugees fleeing Syria's civil war and then spending two months in France undetected prior to the Nov. 13 attacks. "France - zero," it quoted him as saying. On Friday, the Paris prosecutor's office said it would open a preliminary investigation into how the confidential police witness statement was leaked to the press.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Summerset Apartments Incident, Fresno, Fresno County

There was a loss of natural gas to the Summerset Apartment complex near Fresno Street and Clinton in the City of Fresno. The complex has 220 units and houses 1,500 – 1,800 residents who are primarily southeast Asian refugees – about 25 of the units are Section 8. The complex has a private gas distribution system that has once supply point from PG&E. About 10 days ago the natural gas was turned off to make repairs. On Friday, 11/20/15, the City became aware of the complexity of the repairs needed and confirmed that large portions of the gas lines will not hold pressure. The residents rely on gas for heat, hot water and drying clothes. Repairs are estimated to take 3 weeks. The first priority is to ensure life-safety issues are addressed. The concern is residents will bring in portable gas appliances. The City Fire Department will have a 24 hour fire watch onsite until all detectors are installed.

- At 1423 hours on 11/26/15 the Cal OES Inland Duty Officer confirmed that the mobile showers and kitchen are on-scene and will be there for the next 3 weeks.
- On 11/24/15, the City of Fresno determined that a shelter will not be needed.
- The City is in the leadership role with Red Cross serving as technical assistance, support and convening of necessary partners to support. County OES is not planning to activate at this time.
- Fresno Interdenominational Refugee Ministries (FIRM) is a local partner, with facilities adjacent to the apartment complex, that ARC has positioned in a lead role for feeding. ARC has been supporting this partner with food and staff and is looking to local churches to assist as well.
- Southern Baptist will train FIRM on how to run the kitchen and cook culturally appropriate meals. ARC has a local partner that will help develop a suitable menu.
- Currently, ARC believes approximately 10 medically sensitive individuals have been identified. Department of Public Health (DPH) has been asked to identify newborns or others with health issues.
- Residents speak various dialects of Hmong, Vietnamese, Cambodian, and Laotian. DPH has offered to support the project with translators and will reach out to Behavioral Health and Social Services to see if they have resources.
- On 11/25/15 at 1722 hours the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received two unsigned Resolutions from the City of Fresno declaring the existence of a local emergency due to an inoperable natural gas line at 2103 N. Angus Street, Fresno, California. There are no requests for State assistance.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought.

Weather of Concern

- A cold air mass will remain in place through the weekend, with near-freezing to sub-freezing conditions expected during the overnight and early morning hours for areas in Northern and Southern California.
- Freeze Watches and Warnings and Hard Freeze Watches and Warnings in effect throughout a large portion of the California coast, the Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys, and the Inland Empire.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

Dry and unseasonably cold weather will persist through the weekend. A period of light rain and high elevation snow will be possible during the day Monday.

Medford Weather:

Skies will remain clear across the forecast area, except for the Umpqua Valley where low clouds and fog have formed once again. This fog will remain in place through the morning and early afternoon, keeping temperatures cooler today. There will be little change through the weekend as a blocking ridge remains over the Pacific Northwest, and this is preventing any storm systems in the Pacific from reaching the forecast area.

Reno Weather:

Cold low pressure will remain over the Great Basin through today before moving eastward on Sunday as a ridge builds into the west. This will lead to strengthening inversions and possibly deteriorating air quality early next week. The next system of note will impact the region Thursday into Friday with travel impacts in the Sierra possible.

San Francisco Weather:

Dry and cool weather will continue through the weekend with areas of nighttime freezing temperatures forecast across inland areas. Temperatures will begin to moderate early next week. There is also a chance of rain developing by the middle portion of next week.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Sacramento Weather:

Mainly dry conditions this weekend with cold morning temperatures. The next chance for precipitation will arrive late Wednesday into Thursday.

Hanford Weather:

A few showers will be possible today mainly over the Sierra Nevada Mountains. Otherwise dry weather will prevail across the central California interior through the weekend with patchy late night and morning frost and fog in the San Joaquin Valley. Temperatures will average slightly below normal through the period.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

An upper level low over the Great Basin will keep temperatures below normal through the weekend. A warming trend is expected early next week as the upper level low exits to the east and an upper level high builds overhead. Showers are possible late next week as an upper trough moves to the north of the area.

Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

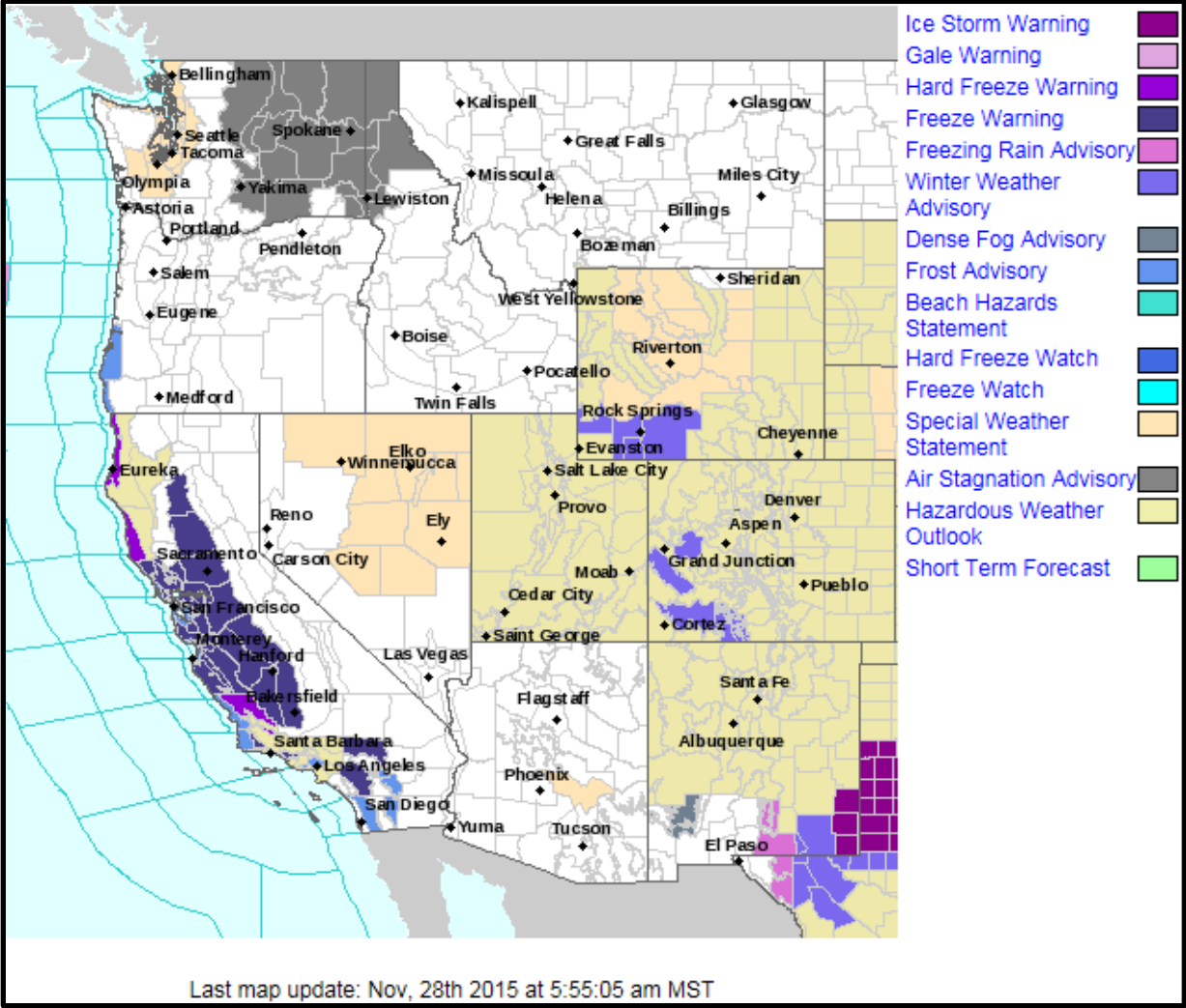
A cold upper low over the Great Basin will continue to bring cool days and cold nights through this weekend. Overnight lows may fall below freezing in the inland valleys and desert areas. It will be dry and warmer next week with weak offshore flow persisting.

Southeast California Weather:

A cool Pacific weather system will remain across the southwestern United States through the weekend bringing below normal temperatures and occasional clouds. Slightly below normal temperatures will persist into early next week, while gradually warming back to near normal for the middle of next week. Dry weather should persist through much of next week.



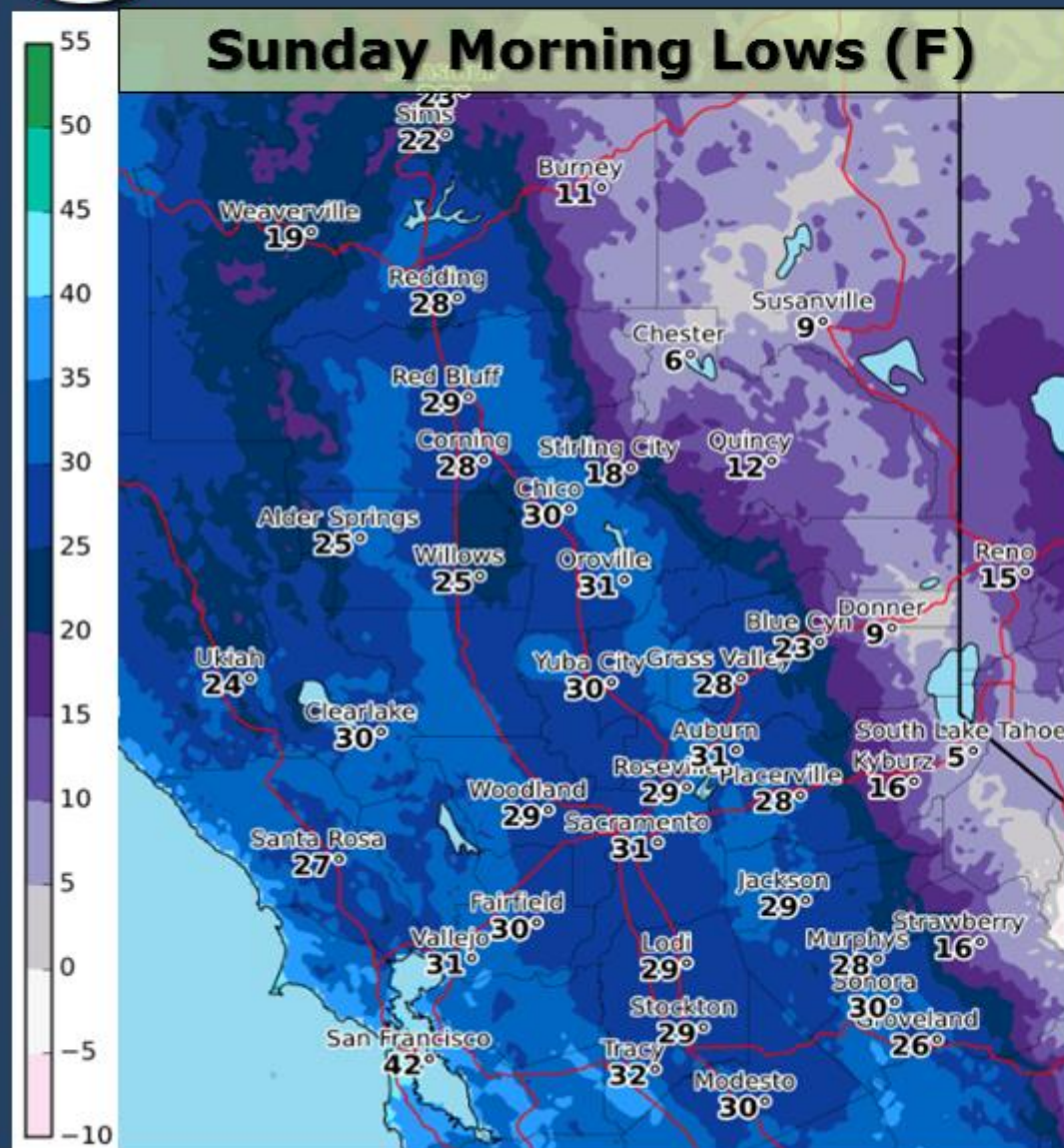
STATE WEATHER MAP





Cold Mornings This Weekend

Sunday Morning Lows (F)



Temperatures:

- Valley: Mid 20s – Low 30s Sunday
- Mountains: Teens – Single digits

Impacts: Approaching some Nov 29th records

- Valley: Sensitivity to pets/plants
- Mtns: Plumbing & Animal dangers

Safety Tips:

- Wear several layers of clothing to stay warm
- Protect your animals, plants, and pipes!

Freeze Warning
Sunday Morning

Sacramento Valley & Northern
San Joaquin Valley



Sunday's High Temperature Forecast

Temperatures (°F)



Eureka
56

Redding
57

Chico
53

Reno
36

Ukiah
55

Lake Tahoe
35

Sacramento
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Stockton
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San Francisco
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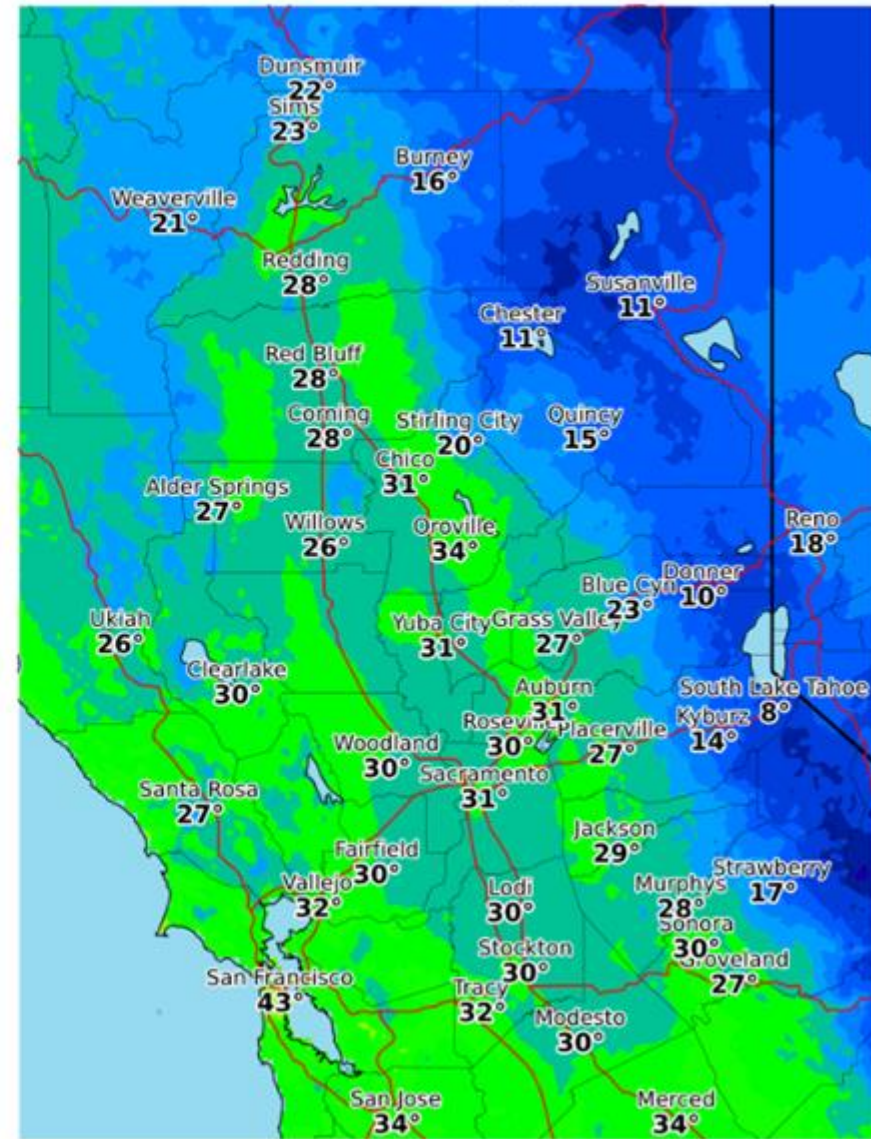
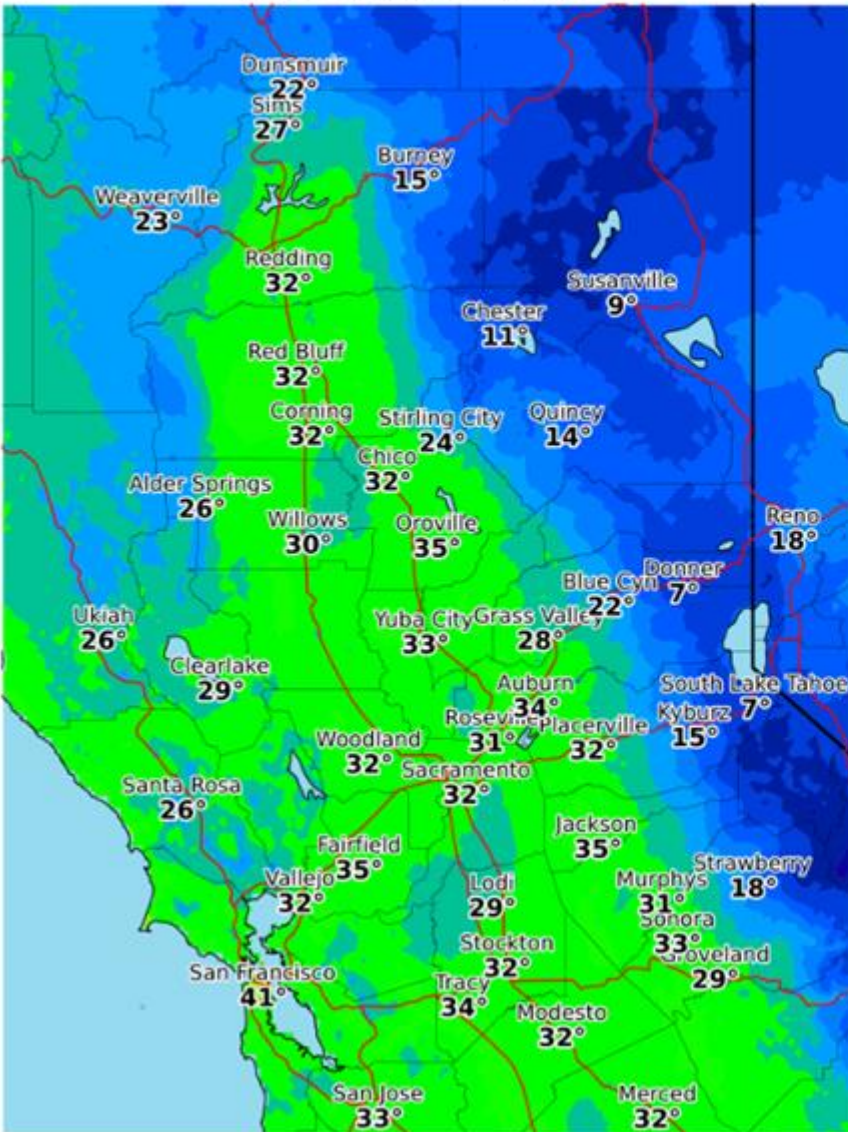
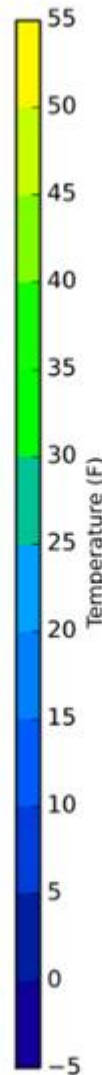
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Saturday Morning Lows

Valid: November 28, 2015

Sunday Morning Lows

Valid: November 29, 2015



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COLD MORNINGS THIS WEEKEND

FROST ADVISORY

What: Frost possible from a few to several hours

When: 1 AM – 8 AM Saturday

Where: San Diego Valleys & Deserts, Coachella Valley and San Geronio Pass

FREEZE WARNING

What: Below freezing temps possible from a few to several hours

When: 1 AM – 8 AM Saturday

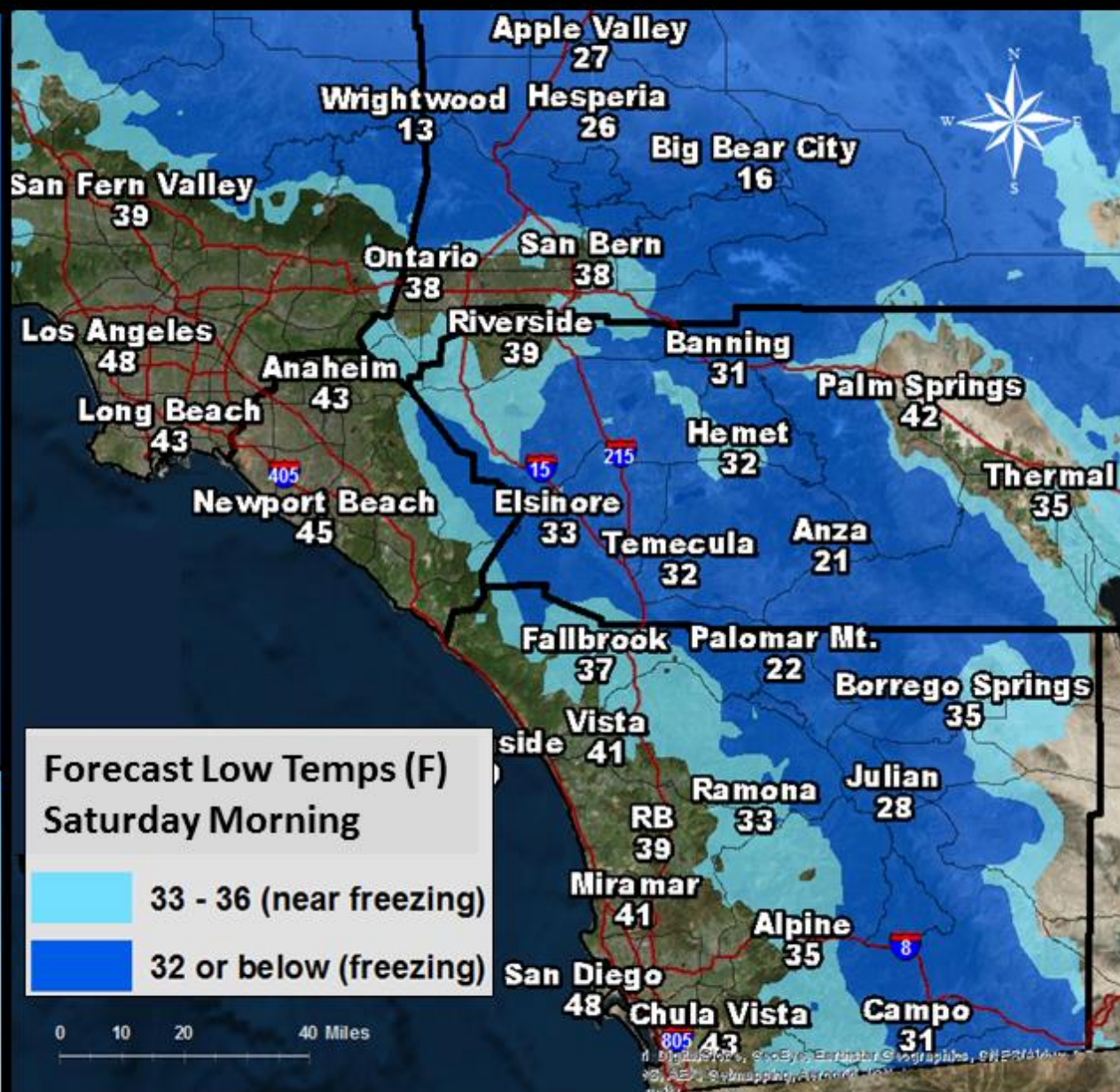
Where: High Deserts and Inland Empire

IMPACTS

Cold-sensitive outdoor plants may be killed if left uncovered.

OUTLOOK

Slightly lower temperatures Sunday



FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every other Monday at 1100 hours.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 63 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 29 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.